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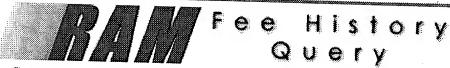
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed April 25, 2001, kindly consider and enter the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Kindly insert into the application the Abstract attached to the Appendix.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly enter the following amended claims.

Kindly cancel claim 2 without prejudice or disclaimer.

1. (Twice Amended) In the method of therapeutic management of infertility by programming of controlled ovarian stimulation and assisted reproductive procedures the improvement consisting of :

